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TREASURY SECURITY AUCTION RESULTS BUREAU OF THE PUBLIC DEBT - WASHINGTON DC

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RESULTS OF TREASURY'S AUCTION OF 26-WEEK BILLS

Term: 182-Day Bill

Issue Date: December 20, 2001
Maturity Date: June 20, 2002
CUSIP Number: 912795JZ5

High Rate: 1.840% Investment Rate 1/: 1.883% Price: 99.070

All noncompetitive and successful competitive bidders were awarded securities at the high rate. Tenders at the high discount rate were allotted 2.12%. All tenders at lower rates were accepted in full.

AMOUNTS TENDERED AND ACCEPTED (in thousands)

Tender Type	Tendered		Accepted		
Competitive Noncompetitive FIMA (noncompetitive)	\$	26,577,200 1,105,904 25,000	\$	13,869,140 1,105,904 25,000	
SUBTOTAL		27,708,104		15,000,044 2/	
Federal Reserve		5,183,378		5,183,378	
TOTAL	\$	32,891,482	\$	20,183,422	

Median rate 1.810%: 50% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate. Low rate 1.780%: 5% of the amount of accepted competitive tenders was tendered at or below that rate.

Bid-to-Cover Ratio = 27,708,104 / 15,000,044 = 1.85

- 1/ Equivalent coupon-issue yield.
- 2/ Awards to TREASURY DIRECT = \$937,198,000

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